PATENT APPLICATION

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

In re the Application of

Jean-Noel THOREL

For:

Sir:

Group Art Unit: 1654

Application No.: 10/006,389

Examiner: S. Coe

Filed: December 6, 2001

COSMETIC PRODUCTS COMPATIBLE WITH CUTANEOUS ECOLOGY AND METHOD FOR

THEIR USE (AS AMENDED)

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INDEP CLAIMS	*2 MINUS	***3	= 0	
☐ FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				

SMALL ENTITY			
RATE	ADD'L FEE		
x 9	\$		
x 42	\$		
+140	\$		
	\$		

SMALL ENTITY				
ΩR	RATE	ADD'L FEE		
	x 18	\$ 90.00		
	x 84	\$		
ΩR	+280	\$		
		\$ 90.00		
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Sir:

In reply to the December 31, 2002 Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 4 and 17 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.

Please replace claims 5, 15, 16 and 20 as follows:

- 5. (Amended) The composition according to claim 1, wherein a major portion of said composition consists of one or more constitutive components of skin.
- 15. (Amended) The composition according to claim 1, wherein said composition does not comprise any excipient or vehicle.
- (Amended) The composition according to claim 1, wherein each constituent is 16. selected from the group consisting of:
- substantially cytocompatible and/or bioassimilable components present (a) in constitutional form in the skin;